## United States Department of State



Washington, D.C. 20520

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Dear Mr. Speaker:

Pursuant to Section 36(d) of the Arms Export Control Act, I am transmitting, herewith, certification of a proposed manufacturing license agreement (MLA) with Japan.

The transaction described in the attached certification involves the transfer of technical data and assistance to Japan for the manufacture, logistical support and delivery of AN/APX-100(V) Airborne Transponder and derivative model RCVR-XMTR-SIF for end-use by the Japanese Defense Agency.

The United States Government is prepared to license the export of these items having taken into account political, military, economic, human rights and arms control considerations.

More detailed information is contained in the formal certification which, though unclassified, contains business information submitted to the Department of State by the applicant, publication of which could cause competitive harm to the United States firm concerned.

Sincerely,

Paul V. Kelly

Assistant Secretary Legislative Affairs

Enclosure:

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The Honorable

J. Dennis Hastert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.